

Annual Report

FOR THE TOWN OF

BATH, NEW HAMPSHIRE



Year Ending December 31

1962

TOWN OF BATH, NEW HAMPSHIRE

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OF THE TOWN OFFICERS

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1962

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THIS TOWN REPORT IS
DEDICATED TO

Arthur E. Bailey

Town Clerk 1917 to 1959

Alfred Houston

Moderator 1915 - 1937

Library Trustee 1917 - 1929

Supervisor of Check List 1920 - 1922

TOWN OFFICERS

Representative to the General Court

Arthur Gilbert

Moderator

George C. Minot

Selectmen

Carroll C. Nihan—Term expires 1963

Russell V. Armstrong—Term expires 1964

Edwin P. Chamberlin—Term expires 1965

Treasurer

Alden Minot

Town Clerk

Phyllis B. Schoff

Tax Collector

Kathlyn W. Quig

Highway Agent

Verne A. Sherman

Supervisors of the Check List

Holman C. Whitney

Kenneth C. Church

Henry Lang

Trustees of the Trust Funds

Luigi J. Castello—Term expires 1963

A. Paul Stimson—Term expires 1964

Henry G. Smith—Term expires 1965

Library Trustees

Phoebe Carr—Term expires 1963

Louise Bailey—Term expires 1964

Olga Armstrong—Term expires 1965

Overseer of the Poor and Health Officer

Esther A. Whitney

Auditor

Holman C. Whitney

Fire Chief and Fire Warden

Roscoe Olney

Chief of Police

Arthur Joy

TOWN MEETING WARRANT

State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the Town of Bath qualified to vote in town affairs. You are notified to meet at the town hall in Bath on Tuesday, March 12th, 1963 at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose a Town Clerk, one Selectman for three years, one Trustee of the Trust Funds for three years, one Library Trustee for three years, a Treasurer, an Auditor, a Highway Agent, and all other necessary officers and agents for the ensuing year.

Article 2. To hear the reports of officers and agents heretofore chosen and to pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 3. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Town officers' salaries and expenses, for repairs, maintenance and construction of highways and bridges, for old age assistance, for the protection of the public, for the support of the poor and all other necessary town charges and expenses for the ensuing year.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid for the construction of Class 5 roads and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$761.91.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed \$126.00 for the Town's share of cooperative participation in the White Mountains Region Association.

Article 6. To see what action the Town will take on the following question: Shall the provisions of the Laws relative to the playing games of Beano be adopted in this Town?

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Municipal Accounting Division, and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to dispense with the delivery of inventory blanks until April first.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired through the Tax Collector's deed.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Article 11. To see what action the Town will take in regard to observing a 200th anniversary in 1965.

Article 12. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 26th day of January, 1963.

CARROLL C. NIHAN

RUSSELL V. ARMSTRONG

EDWIN P. CHAMBERLIN

Selectmen of Bath, N. H.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BATH, N. H.

For The Year 1963

Estimates of Revenue for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1963 to December 31, 1963, Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue of the Previous Year January 1, 1962 to December 31, 1962.

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1962	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1962	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1963
SOURCES OF REVENUE			
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 500.00	\$ 2,349.34	\$ 2,000.00
Railroad Tax	75.00		
Savings Bank Tax	100.00		
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	150.00	120.60	100.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	600.00	669.00	600.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	200.00	270.86	250.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	3,500.00	3,738.19	3,600.00
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2	500.00	552.94	500.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	28.00	28.00	28.00
Yield Taxes	800.00	584.95	600.00
TOTAL REVENUE FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	\$ 6,453.00	\$ 8,313.28	\$ 7,678.00
*Amt to be Raised by Prop. Taxes			64,924.13
TOTAL REVENUES			\$72,602.13

*Total estimated "Revenues from All sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

For The Year 1963

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BATH, N. H.

Estimates of Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1963 to December 31, 1963, Compared with Estimated and Actual Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1962 to December 31, 1962.

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1962	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1962	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1963
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,300.00	\$ 1,328.20	\$ 1,300.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,300.00	1,396.99	1,300.00
Election and Registration Exp.	300.00	150.60	100.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	750.00	3,918.44	900.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	600.00	450.75	500.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	100.00		100.00
Fire Department	1,000.00	917.94	1,250.00
Moth Exterm.—Blister Rust and Care of Trees	200.00	200.00	100.00
Insurance	1,400.00	1,964.65	1,800.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	150.00		150.00
Civil Defense	50.00	18.19	50.00
Health:			
Health Dept., inc. Hospitals	550.00	526.80	550.00
Vital Statistics	25.00	10.25	25.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	50.00	12.00	40.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance—Summer	9,000.00	19,099.51	12,000.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	4,000.00	4,607.36	4,000.00
Street Lighting	580.00	723.32	725.00
Gen. Expenses of Highway Dept.	1,000.00	915.09	1,000.00
Town Road Aid	763.32	763.32	761.91
Libraries	700.00	700.00	700.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	500.00	68.19	500.00
Old Age Assistance	800.00	1,549.92	1,000.00

Recreation:			
Parks and Playground, including			
Band Concerts	40.00	30.75	40.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	700.00	1,522.51	900.00
Advertising and Regional Assns.	125.68	125.68	126.00
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	450.00	720.00	600.00
Outlay for New Construction and			
Permanent Improvements:			
New Equipment	2,000.00		
County Taxes	2,650.00	2,864.82	2,800.00
School Taxes	32,081.95	30,943.92	39,284.22
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$63,165.95	\$75,529.20	\$72,602.13

Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION	Appropriation	Receipts	Total	Expended	Over-draft	Unexpended Balance
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,300.00	\$ 161.00	\$ 1,461.00	\$ 1,328.00	\$	\$ 132.80
Town Officers' Expenses	1,300.00		1,300.00	1,396.99	96.99	
Election and Registration	300.00		300.00	150.60		149.40
Town Hall	2,750.00	669.00	3,419.00	3,918.44	499.44	
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	600.00		600.00	450.75		149.25
Police Department	100.00		100.00			100.00
Fire Department	1,000.00		1,000.00	917.94		82.06
Blister Rust	200.00		200.00	200.00		
Insurance	1,400.00		1,400.00	1,964.65	564.65	
Damage and Legal Expense	150.00		150.00			150.00
Civil Defense	50.00		50.00	18.19		31.81
Hospital & Health	550.00		550.00	526.80		33.20
Vital Statistics	25.00		25.00	10.25		14.75
Town Dump	50.00		50.00	12.00		38.00
Highway	15,343.32	7,796.80	23,140.12	26,108.77	2,968.65	
Libraries	700.00		700.00	700.00		
Town Poor & O.A.A.	1,300.00		1,300.00		318.11	
Parks & Playgrounds	40.00		40.00	30.75		9.25
Cemeteries	700.00	642.03	1,342.03	1,522.51	180.48	
Interest	450.00	270.86	720.86	720.00	.86	
New Equipment	2,000.00		2,000.00			*2,000.00
County Taxes	2,650.00		2,650.00	2,864.82	214.82	
					\$ 4,844.00	\$ 1,321.97
Overdraft over Unexpended Balance						
*Used in Highway Department					\$ 3,522.03	

INVENTORY

Lands and Buildings		\$ 702,775.00
House Trailers		5,300.00
Factory Buildings, Lands and Machinery		30,800.00
Electric Lines		217,241.00
Stock in Trade		7,000.00
Boats and Launches	14	800.00
Horses	2	100.00
Cows	968	72,160.00
Neat stock	97	1,940.00
Sheep and Goats	8	80.00
Fowls	2,900	1,110.00
Gasoline pumps		900.00
Aqueduct		1,500.00
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		\$1,041,706.00
Less Veterans' Exemptions		30,600.00
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Net Valuation		\$1,011,106.00

VALUATION BY DISTRICTS

Bath Town Dist.	\$ 913,154.00
Woodsville School Dist.	93,052.00
Landaff School Dist.	5,800.00
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	\$1,011,106.00

TAX RATES

Tax Rates—Town	\$2.60
School Rate	3.50
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TOTAL	\$6.10

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

<i>Description</i>	<i>Value</i>
Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$12,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	500.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	2,500.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	3,000.00
Equipment	4,000.00
Highway Dept. Lands and Buildings	500.00
Equipment	9,000.00
Water Supply, if owned by Town	4,000.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	12,000.00
Swiftwater Property	100.00
Bath Village Property	750.00
Paradie Farm	2,000.00
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TOTAL	\$50,350.00

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

For The Year Ending Dec. 31, 1962

Motor Vehicle Permits:

1961—#16244 to 16256	\$ 67.22
1962—#13256 to 13683	3,670.97
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432 Permits	\$3,738.19

Dog Licenses:

#1 through 63	
3 Females and 59 Males	\$ 133.00
Less Fees	12.40
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	\$ 120.60

RECEIPTS:

432 Auto Permits	\$3,738.19
62 Dog Licenses	120.60
2 Filing Fees	4.00
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	\$3,862.79

CREDITS:

Paid to Alden Minot, Treasurer	\$3,862.79
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PHYLLIS B. SCHOFF
Town Clerk

B A L A N C E

S H E E T

Town of Bath**BALANCE**

ASSETS

Cash in Hands of Treasurer \$ 19,750.13

Unredeemed Taxes:

Levy of 1961 822.45

Levy of 1960 486.88

Previous Years 567.88

Uncollected Taxes:

Levy of 1962 7,280.67

Previous Years 463.34

State Head Taxes—Levy of 1962 350.00

State Head Taxes—Previous Years 70.00

TOTAL ASSETS \$ 29,791.35

Excess of liabilities over assets
(Net Debt) 2,602.63

GRAND TOTAL \$ 32,393.98

SHEET**December 31, 1962****LIABILITIES*****Accounts Owed by the Town:***

Checks Outstanding	\$ 5,045.09
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Due to State:

State Head Taxes—1962	420.00
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Due to School Districts:

Balance of Appropriation	26,928.89
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TOTAL LIABILITIES	<hr/> \$ 32,393.98
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GRAND TOTAL	<hr/> \$ 32,393.98
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TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF WARRANT PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES LEVY OF 1962

Debits

Taxes Committed to Collector:	
Property Taxes	\$57,973.49
Poll Taxes	524.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	28.00
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Total Warrant	\$58,525.49
Yield Taxes	1,105.65
Added Taxes:	
Property Taxes	\$ 530.35
Poll Taxes	32.00
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	562.35
Interest Collected	5.88
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TOTAL DEBITS	\$60,199.37

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer:	
Property Taxes	\$51,824.02
Poll Taxes	434.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	28.00
Yield Taxes	538.55
Interest Collected	5.88
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	\$52,830.45
Abatements:	
Property Taxes	\$ 76.25
Poll Taxes	12.00
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	88.25
Uncollected Taxes—As Per Collector's List:	
Property Taxes	\$ 6,603.57
Poll Taxes	110.00
Yield Taxes	567.10
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	7,280.67
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TOTAL CREDITS	\$60,199.37

SUMMARY OF TAX SALE ACCOUNTS

As of December 31, 1962

Debits			
	Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:		
	1961	1960	Previous Years
(a) Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	\$1,796.80	\$	\$
(b) Balance of Unredeemed Taxes— Jan. 1, 1962		772.40	567.88
Interested Collected after Sale, and Redemption Costs	6.54	23.77	
TOTAL DEBITS	<u>\$1,803.34</u>	<u>\$796.17</u>	<u>\$567.88</u>
Credits			
Remittances to Treasurer During Year	\$ 980.89	\$309.29	
Unredeemed Taxes, at close of Year	822.45	486.88	567.88
TOTAL CREDITS	<u>\$1,803.34</u>	<u>\$796.17</u>	<u>\$567.88</u>

**SUMMARY OF WARRANTS — PREVIOUS YEARS
PROPERTY, POLL, AND YIELD TAXES**

	Debits			
	1961	1960	1959	1958
Uncollected Taxes, as of Jan. 1, 1962:				
Property Taxes	\$7,062.92	\$81.76	\$ 77.47	\$37.06
Poll Taxes	124.00	4.00	6.00	4.00
Yield Taxes	41.40		134.75	34.68
Interested Collected During Year	264.40		.14	.38
TOTAL DEBITS	<u>\$7,492.72</u>	<u>\$85.76</u>	<u>\$218.36</u>	<u>\$75.74</u>
				<u>\$6.38</u>
				<u>\$16.36</u>
Remittances to Treasurer during year ending Dec. 31, 1962:				
Property Taxes	\$6,983.46	\$	\$ 2.00	\$ 4.00
Poll Taxes	112.00			.94
Yield Taxes	41.40			
Interest	264.40		.14	.38
Abatements	8.00			.06
Uncollected Taxes, as per Collector's List:				
Property Taxes	79.46	81.76	77.47	21.86
Poll Taxes	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
Yield Taxes			134.75	34.68
TOTAL CREDITS	<u>\$7,492.72</u>	<u>\$85.76</u>	<u>\$218.36</u>	<u>\$75.74</u>
			<u>\$6.38</u>	<u>15.36</u>
				<u>\$16.36</u>

SUMMARY OF WARRANTS — STATE HEAD TAXES

	1962	Debits	1960	1959	1958	1957
State Head Taxes Committed to Collector Original Warrant Added Taxes	\$1,650.00 50.00	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Uncollected State Head Taxes, as of Jan. 1, 1962			20.00	20.00	15.00	15.00
Added Taxes	3.00		.50	.50	.50	.50
Penalties Collected						
TOTAL DEBITS	\$1,703.00	\$426.50	\$20.50	\$20.50	\$15.50	\$15.50
		Credits				
Remittances to Treasurer:						
State Head Taxes	\$1,315.00	\$345.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00
Penalties	3.00	36.50	.50	.50	.50	.50
Abatements	35.00	25.00				
Uncollected State Head Taxes, as Per Collector's List	350.00	20.00	15.00	15.00	10.00	10.00
TOTAL CREDITS	\$1,703.00	\$426.50	\$20.50	\$20.50	\$15.50	\$15.50

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand January 1, 1962 \$ 15,740.02

Rec. from Kathlyn Quig Tax Collector:

Polls, 1962	\$ 434.00
Polls, 1961	112.00
Polls, 1959	2.00
Polls, 1957	4.00
Polls, 1956	.94
Property Tax, 1962	51,824.02
Property Tax, 1961	6,983.46
Property Tax, 1958	12.46
Head Tax, 1962	1,315.00
Head Tax, 1961	345.00
Head Tax, 1960	5.00
Head Tax, 1959	5.00
Head Tax, 1958	5.00
Head Tax, 1957	5.00
Head Tax Penalties, 1962	3.00
Head Tax Penalties, 1961	36.50
Head Tax Penalties, 1960	.50
Head Tax Penalties, 1959	.50
Head Tax Penalties, 1958	.50
Head Tax Penalties, 1957	.50
National Bank Stock	28.00
Redemptions	1,290.18
Interest, 1962	5.88
Interest, 1961	264.40
Interest, 1959	.14
Interest, 1957	.38
Interest, 1956	.06
Yield Tax, 1962	538.55
Yield Tax, 1961	41.40

\$ 63,263.37

Rec. from Phyllis Schoff:

Auto permits	\$ 3,738.19
Dog licenses	120.60
Filing fees	4.00

 3,862.79

Rec. from Treasurer of United States:

Rent of Town Property	264.00
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 264.00

Rec. from State Treasurer:

Int. & Dividends Tax	2,349.34
Road Toll refund	235.45
Fire warden's services	21.33
Reimbursements TRA	
(wages)	4,376.21
Reimbursements (porcupines)	88.50
Wht. Pine Blister refund	.50
Fire training meeting	22.70
Class IV	3,420.58

 \$ 10,514.61

RECEIPTS

Miscellaneous:

Hall rent	\$ 69.00	
Postoffice rent	600.00	
Cemetery lots	35.00	
Use of equipment	99.20	
Commission on pay phone	5.01	
Income from Trust Funds	642.03	
East. States F. Ex. patronage refund	.41	
Bath Fiber Co.	98.80	
Woods. Nat'l. Bank	30,000.00	
Pine Grove Grange— refund for Sabin vac.	26.80	
Trust Funds	200.00	
Woods. Fire Dist.	500.00	
Town of Bethlehem	240.00	
Grafton Co. Treasurer	128.28	
Fed. Excise Tax refund	122.92	
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		32,767.45
Total Receipts		<hr/>
		\$126,412.24

PAYMENTS

Selectmen's Orders Paid	\$106,648.43	
Bank Service Charge	13.68	
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		\$106,662.11
Balance on hand Jan. 1, '63		19,750.13
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		\$126,412.24

ALDEN W. MINOT

Treasurer

Town of Bath**RECEIPTS AND***Current Revenue:**From Local Taxes:*

Property Taxes—	
Current Year—1962	\$51,824.02
Poll Taxes—	
Current Year—1962	434.00
National Bank Stock	
Taxes—1962	28.00
Yield Taxes—1962	538.55
State Head Taxes @ \$5—1962	1,315.00
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Total Current Year's Taxes	
collected and remitted	\$54,139.57
Property Taxes and Yield	
Taxes—Previous Years	7,037.32
Poll Taxes—Previous Years	118.94
State Head Taxes @ \$5—	
Previous Years	365.00
Interest received on Taxes	270.86
Penalties on State Head Taxes	41.50
Tax sales redeemed	1,290.18

From State:

For Class V Highway	
maintenance	3,420.58
Interest and dividends tax	2,349.34
Fighting forest fires	44.03
Reimbursement a/c Motor	
Vehicle Road Toll	358.37
Bounties	88.50

PAYMENTS For the Year Ended Dec. 31, 1962

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$ 1,328.20
Town officers' expenses	1,396.99
Election and registration expenses	150.60
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	3,918.44

Protection of Persons and Property:

Fire department, including forest fires	917.94
Moth extermination—Blister Rust and Care of Trees	200.00
Insurance	1,964.65
Civil Defense	18.19
Bounties	61.00

Health:

Health department, incl. hospitals	526.80
Vital statistics	10.25
Town dumps and garbage removal	12.00

Highways and Bridges

Town Road Aid	763.32
Town Maintenance: (Summer—\$19,099.51) (Winter—\$4,607.36)	23,706.87
Street lighting	723.49
General Expenses of Highway Department	915.09

Town of Bath**RECEIPTS AND*****From Local Sources, Except Taxes:***

Dog Licenses	120.60
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	4.00
Rent of town property	669.00
Motor vehicle permits	3,738.19

Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	30,000.00
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PAYMENTS For the Year Ended Dec. 31, 1962

Libraries:

Libraries	700.00
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Public Welfare:

Old age assistance	1,549.92
Town poor	68.18

Recreation:

Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	30.75
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Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries, including hearse hire	1,522.51
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Unclassified:

Advertising and Regional Associations	125.68
Taxes bought by town	1,796.80
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	450.75

Interest:

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	720.00
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Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	30,000.00
Payments to trustees of trust funds (New Funds)	200.00

Town of Bath**BALANCE**

Refunds	230.72
New Trust Funds received during year	200.00
Sale of town property (Cemetery Lots)	35.00
Cemetery Trust Funds	642.03
Woodsville Water & Light Damage	500.00
Paradie Farm—Soil Bank	264.00
Reimbursement Care Ebelt Children	368.28
Reimbursement from State on T.R.A. Payroll	4,376.21
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TOTAL RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE	\$ 36,616.24
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TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM ALL SOURCES	\$110,672.22
Cash on hand January 1, 1962	13,542.39
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GRAND TOTAL	\$124,214.61

SHEET**December 31, 1962***Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:*

State Head Taxes paid State Treas.	1,641.50
Payment to State a/c Yield Tax	
Debt Retirement	280.91
Taxes paid to County	2,864.82
Payments to School Districts	30,943.92
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TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES	\$109,509.57
Cash on hand December 31, 1962	14,705.04
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GRAND TOTAL	\$124,214.61

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Detail 1. Town Officers' Salaries

George C. Minot, Moderator	\$ 40.00
Alden Minot, Treasurer	75.00
Phyllis Schoff, Clerk	221.00
H. G. Smith, 2 yr. Trustee	55.00
Esther Whitney, 2 yr. Overseer	230.00
E. P. Chamberlin, Selectman	100.00
R. V. Armstrong, Selectman	100.00
C. C. Nihan, Selectman	100.00
K. Quig, Tax Collector	332.20
H. C. Whitney, Auditor	75.00
	\$ 1,328.20

Detail 2. Officers' Expenses

New England, office phone	\$ 79.80
Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies	45.81
Sargent Bros., tax bills	30.53
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	24.63
Burnham Pub. Co., supplies	7.00
Phyllis Schoff, expenses	50.85
Esther Whitney, expenses	63.59
H. G. Smith, expenses	5.00
K. Quig, expenses	93.93
Chamberlin Greenhouse, flowers	10.00
Courier Printing, Town reports	369.00
E. P. Chamberlin, supplies, post.	16.03
Alden Minot, copying blotter	20.00
Tax Commission, boat reports	3.50
C. Hardy, Clerk's Assoc. dues	3.00
Tax Assessors' Dues	3.00
Mildred Haynes, postage	3.60

Woodsville Natl. Bank	
Tax Collector service charge	5.00
Treasurer service charge	12.72
C. C. Nihan, expenses	150.00
R. V. Armstrong, expenses	150.00
E. P. Chamberlin, expenses	250.00
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	\$ 1,396.99

Detail 3. Election and Registration

Henry Lang, Supervisor	\$ 40.00
Holman Whitney, Supervisor	50.60
Phyllis Lang, Ballot Clerk	20.00
George Quig, Ballot Clerk	20.00
Louise Bailey, Ballot Clerk	20.00
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	\$ 150.60

Detail 4. Town Hall

Bath Village, water	\$ 32.00
Horace Woods, janitor	160.00
Conn. Valley Elec.	223.35
Scruggs Hardware	61.22
Stymest Co.	9.11
W. J. Larty, fuel	436.24
Woodsville Welding	14.00
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	\$ 935.92
Town Hall a/c painting and repairs	
Earl Page, painting	\$1,405.45
Roy Gonyaw, repairs	1,495.60
David Johnson, wiring	73.47
Chas. Lane, sign painting	8.00
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	\$ 2,982.52
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Total	\$ 3,918.44

Detail 5. Fire Department

McKenzie, battery	\$ 12.97
Dennis Chase, expenses	5.00
Conn Valley, electricity	2.00
Cray Oil, fuel	99.20
Bath Fire Dept.	500.00
Stymest Co., supplies	21.57
Treas., State of New Hamp.	45.40
Roscoe Olney, a/c fires	69.80
Woodsville Fire Dist., hydrants	120.00
Lisbon Fire Dept., Cate fire	42.00
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	\$ 917.94

Detail 6. Blister Rust

William Messick, State Forester	\$ 200.00
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Detail 7. Insurance

Farm Bureau	\$ 40.50
George Quig	1,777.43
Wayne Whitcomb	28.42
Dearth Agency	118.30
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	\$ 1,964.65

Detail 8. Civil Defense

Treas., State of N. H.	\$ 6.65
Evans Radio, Inc.	7.94
Clark Goudie	3.60
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	\$ 18.19

Detail 9. Bounties

122 heads	\$ 61.00
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Detail 10. Health

Cottage Hospital	\$ 500.00	
Wyeth Lab.	26.80	
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		\$ 526.80

Detail 11. Vital Statistics

Phyllis B. Schoff, clerk	\$ 10.25
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Detail 12. Town Dump

Waldo Peters, labor	\$ 12.00
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Detail 13. Highways & Bridges—Summer**Labor**

Verne A. Sherman	\$2,685.84	
David Lang	2,353.24	
Fred Moses	1,696.07	
Clyde Tewksbury	243.82	
Russell Armstrong, Jr.	458.29	
Steven Peters	397.85	
Henry Richardson	268.38	
Dean Robinson	283.12	
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		\$ 8,386.61

Machine Hire

Ervin Dodge	\$3,866.50	
William Presby	1,039.60	
Arthur Bigelow	96.20	
William Brill	45.50	
Town of Landaff	63.08	
Donald Girouard	42.30	
Bruce Chase	19.00	
Waldo Peters	675.00	
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		5,847.18

Repairs, Labor and Supplies

Wirthmore Stores	\$ 138.84
New England Metal Culvert	282.76
C. H. Whittier	1,004.50
Roland Ames	347.94
Armstrong & Botsford	4.00
Interstate Eqpt. Co.	53.49
G. A. Clark	110.27
Reed Supply Co.	5.70
Eastern States	23.11
Fournier Stores	86.25
Taylor Chevrolet Co.	6.00
E. Corinth Body Shop	10.50
Hartley Hardware	15.83
Ideal Welding	107.50
Scruggs Hardware	45.03
L. M. Pike	198.37
R. G. Hazelton Co.	214.86
C. E. Besaw	7.50
J. E. Faltin	6.90
Merrimack Farmers Exc.	21.54
Harry Andross	5.50
Rauyn Ent.	55.57
Lora Varney	7.50
Robert Varney	108.04
C. H. Goss Co.	179.84
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	\$ 3,047.34

Gas and oil

Emily Jewell	\$ 543.62
Cray Oil Co.	3.15
W. J. Larty Co.	310.19
Stymest Co.	524.06
Maurice Cutting	10.50
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	\$ 1,391.52

Gravel

Douglas Cate	\$ 30.00
George Poor	60.00
Galen Locke	75.00
Paul Bedell	9.00

\$ 174.00

Miscellaneous

Clark-Goudie	\$ 4.35
Director Internal Revenue	248.51

\$ 252.86

TOTAL SUMMER

\$19,099.51

WINTER

Labor

Verne A. Sherman	\$ 917.31
David Lang	802.84
Fred Moses	505.90

\$ 2,226.05

Machine Hire

Ervin Dodge	\$ 272.10
Waldo Peters	6.00
George Quig	32.50

\$ 310.60

Repairs, Labor and Supplies

Roland Ames	\$ 243.48
Interstate Eqpt. Co.	141.73
Trimont Bit. Co.	48.05
International Salt Co.	522.50
Ideal Welding Co.	102.00

Armstrong Botsford	15.80
G. A. Clark Co.	68.45
H. O. Taylor Co.	15.75
Wirthmore Stores	69.96
Clark-Goudie	3.05
Scruggs Hardware	24.90
Reynolds & Son	3.98
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	\$ 1,259.65

Gas and Oil	
Emily Jewell	\$ 269.56
Stymest Co.	132.01
W. J. Larty Co.	97.64
Cray Oil Co.	28.35
Maurice Cutting	5.00
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	\$ 532.56

Gravel—Nellie Smith	\$ 175.50
Director Internal Revenue	\$ 103.00

TOTAL WINTER	<hr/>	\$ 4,607.36
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TOTAL SUMMER AND WINTER	<hr/>	\$23,706.87
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Of this \$4,376.21 was refunded from the State for T.R.A. and \$3,420.58 from the Duncan Act. This left a balance of \$15,810.08 to be paid for with taxpayers' money.

Detail 14. T.R.A.

Treas., State of New Hampshire	\$ 763.32
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Detail 15. Street Lighting

Woodsville Water & Light Dept.	\$ 171.36	
Conn. Valley Elect.	552.13	
	<hr/>	\$ 723.49

Detail 16. General Expenses Highway Dept.

Interstate Eqpt. Co.	\$ 525.09	
R. C. Hazelton Co.	390.00	
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Detail 17. Libraries

Olga Armstrong, Trustee	\$ 700.00
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Detail 18. Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire	\$ 1,549.92
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Detail 19. Town Poor

Grafton Co., surplus foods	\$ 50.18	
Dr. Hooker a/c Mildred Royce	18.00	
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Detail 20. Parks and Playgrounds

Bruce Chase	\$ 30.75
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Detail 21. Cemeteries

Henry Lang	\$ 865.30	
Arthur Young	300.76	
Arthur Burt	356.45	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,522.51

\$642.03 was received from the Trustees of the Trust Funds and used upon the lots for which the funds were established.

Detail 22. Advertising

White Mts. Region Assoc.	\$ 125.68
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Detail 23. Taxes Bought by Town

K. Quig	\$ 1,796.80
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Detail 24. Retirement and Social Security

Treas., State of N. H.	\$ 450.75
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Detail 25. New Trust Funds

H. G. Smith for A. E. Bailey lot	\$ 200.00
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Detail 26. Interest

Woodsville National Bank	\$ 720.00
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Detail 27. Temporary Loans

Woodsville National Bank	\$30,000.00
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Detail 28. Payments to Other Government Divisions

Treas., State of N. H.

Bond and debt retirement	\$ 280.91
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Head Tax	1,641.50
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Lawrence Colby, County Treas.	2,864.82
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\$ 4,787.23

Detail 29. Schools

Alden Minot, Treas.

60-61 appropriation \$25,943.92

61-62 appropriation 5,000.00

\$ 30,943.92

TOTAL PAYMENTS \$109,509.57
AUDITOR'S REPORT

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements, and other records of all Bath Town officers, the above being a true summary for the fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1962, and found them correct in all respects.

HOLMAN C. WHITNEY

Auditor

Feb. 8, 1963

LIBRARY REPORT

Receipts

Balance on hand	\$ 866.64
Town Appropriation	700.00
Trust Fund	7.03
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TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$1,573.67

Expenditures

Books	\$ 418.17
Periodicals	62.15
Insurance	28.56
Cleaning	2.50
Librarian's Salary	200.00
Supplies	21.54
Lighting, labor and fixtures	287.50
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TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$1,020.42
Balance on hand	\$ 553.25

PHOEBE CARR

LOUISE BAILEY

OLGA ARMSTRONG

Library Trustees

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Resources

Number of bound volumes, January, 1962	10,001
Number of volumes added by gift or purchase	170
Number of magazines	17

Circulation

Volumes of adult non-fiction loaned	737
Volumes of juvenile non-fiction loaned	583
Volumes of adult fiction loaned	2,209
Volumes of juvenile fiction loaned	2,470
Adult magazines loaned	673
Juvenile magazines loaned	281

In addition to our own purchases the State Bookmobile has made available over 800 volumes, in addition to what has been borrowed directly from the State Library.

Circulation at Swiftwater

Volumes of adult non-fiction loaned	175
Volumes of juvenile non-fiction loaned	117
Volumes of adult fiction loaned	188
Volumes of juvenile fiction loaned	179

The Bath Library hours have been extended by an hour in the morning to make it possible for the grade school children to have more individual attention.

We would like to thank the townspeople and the teachers of the Bath Grade School for their interest and cooperation in the Library during the year. After the new lighting fixtures had been installed the stacks in the Library were moved due to the assistance of Mr. and Mrs. David Lang, Howard Estes, Foster Carr, George Woods and Howard Dodge. The Open House was well attended by the teachers and people of Bath.

Work has been progressing on the card catalogue files and the Dewey Decimal classification.

**REPORT TO HEALTH OFFICER
TOWN OF BATH
For Year Ending Dec. 31, 1962**

Three Sabin Oral Polio vaccine clinics were held in Bath:

236—Type I
222—Type III
223—Type II
681—Total

The children in the grades 1-4-8 received the Heaf T.B. test.

Three Well Child Conferences were held in Lisbon and Woodsville and the Bath children were invited. The three initial immunizations for whooping cough, diphtheria and tetanus were given to the infants and the single booster shot was administered to the pre-school children. Smallpox vaccination and the Salk polio vaccine were also available for those who needed it.

Home visits were made to infants, preschools and adults for counseling and assistance with health problems.

My sincere thanks to the health officer, members of the Grange and Selectmen for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

LORETTA B. RUSSELL, R.N.

Public Health Nurse
Lincoln, N. H.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Receipts and Disbursements for the Year Ended December 31, 1962

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand January 1, 1962	\$ 419.10	
Income from Trust Funds	975.74	
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		\$1,394.84

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid:		
Bath School District	\$ 52.93	
Library	7.03	
Congregational Society	303.64	
Town of Bath	642.03	
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1962	389.21	
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		\$1,394.84

LUIGI J. CASTELLO

PAUL STIMSON

HENRY G. SMITH

Trustees of Trust Funds

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Bath, on December 31, 1962

Date Created	Name of Fund	Name of Donor	Where Invested	Present Principal	Workable Income Beginning of Year	Yearly Income	Expended	Balance
1880	Hibbard	Sarah K. Hibbard	Lisbon	\$ 782.07	\$	\$ 27.63	\$ 27.63	\$
1896	Hutchins	Henry C. Hutchins	Woodsville	1,500.00		52.96	52.96	
1896	Simonds	William Simonds	Lisbon	395.19		13.95	13.95	
1909	French	D. H. French	Lisbon	92.06		3.00	3.00	
1912	Carbee	Henry C. Carbee	Lisbon	395.19		13.95	13.95	
1917	Jackman	Ser'phe R. Jackman	Lisbon	782.07	85.06	30.42	50.00	65.48
1918	Abbott	Miss Myra Abbott	Lisbon	93.47		3.04	3.04	
1918	Gray	Benjamin Gray	Lisbon	50.00		1.63	1.63	
1919	Parker	Elvira Parker	Lisbon	50.00		1.63	1.63	
1919	Bailey	Marcia S. Bailey	Lisbon	50.00	11.00	1.99	5.00	7.99
1920	Knight	Wm. K. Knight	Lisbon	50.00		1.63	1.63	
1920	Bean	Jerome Bean	Lisbon	92.85		3.02	3.02	
1921	Thorn	Mrs. Juliette Thorn	Lisbon	50.00		1.63	1.63	
1922	Lang	Newton Lang	Lisbon	200.00	11.10	6.89	8.00	9.99
1923	Wells	Fred P. Wells	Lisbon	92.81		3.02	3.02	
1923	Mansfield	Lucy B. Mansfield	Lisbon	93.17		3.04	3.04	
1924	Pettyboro	Cemetery Fund	Lisbon	293.07		9.51	9.51	
1924	Thayer	S. G. Thayer	Lisbon	92.81		3.02	3.02	
1925	Belden	Sanborn W. Belden	Lisbon	94.04		3.06	3.06	
1925	Johnson	E. H. Johnson	Lisbon	1,166.28		41.73	41.73	
1926	Carroll	John M. Carroll	Lisbon	92.58		3.00	3.00	
1926	Kimball	Kate J. Kimball	Lisbon	92.39		3.00	3.00	
1926	Moulton	Frances Moulton	Lisbon	92.46		3.00	3.00	

1927	Sawyer	William H. Sawyer	Lisbon	3,983.82	142.54	142.54	
1927	Sawyer	William H. Sawyer	Woodsville	4,563.84	161.10	161.10	
1927	Hatt	Henry Hatt	Lisbon	92.13	3.00	3.00	
1928	Dick	Edwin Dick	Lisbon	50.00	1.63	1.63	
1928	Hibbard	Clarence E. Hibbard	Lisbon	92.18	3.00	3.00	
1928	Morse	Ada S. Morse	Lisbon	92.06	3.00	3.00	
1929	Whitcher	Agr'so's of D. Whit.	Lisbon	175.91	5.72	5.72	
1929	Smith	Josephine S. Lang	Lisbon	91.88	2.99	2.99	
1929	Childs	Rosina Childs	Lisbon	100.00	3.27	3.27	
1929	War Heroes	Kate J. Kimball	Lisbon	216.75	7.03	7.03	
1929	Reserve Fund	Est'd. in 1928	Lisbon	47.70	58.37	58.37	61.83
1929	Nelson	Mrs. H. W. Nelson	Lisbon	88.16	2.99	2.99	
1930	Sargent	Harvey Sargent	Lisbon	91.80	2.99	2.99	
1931	Burbank	H. D. Burbank	Lisbon	91.74	2.99	2.99	
1931	Child	Mrs. Juliette Thorn	Lisbon	91.96	3.16	3.16	
1933	Chamberlin	H. Chamberlin	Woodsville	300.00	4.82	4.82	2.98
1933	Ricker	Mrs. H. Folger	Woodsville	150.00	38.50	38.50	35.44
1934	Prescott	Abbie P. Hildreth	Woodsville	50.00	1.76	1.76	
1934	Poor	Henry H. Poor	Woodsville	100.00	3.52	3.52	
1934	West Bath	Cemetery	Woodsville	1,000.00	35.30	35.30	
1935	Whitcher	Lizzie Whitcher	Woodsville	150.00	5.29	5.29	
1936	Aldrich	Charles Aldrich	Woodsville	95.00	3.78	3.78	
1936	Snow	Sarah Simonds	Woodsville	100.00	4.03	4.03	11.41
1936	Simonds	Sarah Simonds	Woodsville	1,000.00	14.34	14.34	10.37
1937	Bartlett	Russell T. Bartlett	Woodsville	200.00	1.86	1.86	
1937	Bartlett	Russell T. Bartlett	Woodsville	100.00	3.57	3.57	43
1937	Nelson	Martha L. Nelson	Woodsville	100.00	3.52	3.52	
1938	Nutter	Althea Thayer	Woodsville	100.00	3.52	3.52	
1939	Foster	Jas. W. Foster	Woodsville	100.00	3.52	3.52	
1941	Southard	T. B. Southard	Woodsville	200.00	7.05	7.05	
1943	Corey	Mrs. Sheridan Corey	Woodsville	100.00	3.52	3.52	

1945	Reed	Julia M. Reed	Woodsville	100.00	3.52	3.52	
1946	Knight	Mrs. Belle Fullam	Woodsville	50.00	1.76	1.76	
1946	Southard	Will B. Southard	Woodsville	100.00	3.52	3.52	
1947	Reed	Albert M. Reed	Woodsville	200.00	7.49	8.00	12.77
1948	Simmons	Susan Simmons	Woodsville	200.00	7.05	7.05	
1948	Knight	Lucy Knight	Woodsville	200.00	7.05	7.05	
1948	Foster	Herbert C. Foster	Woodsville	200.00	7.05	7.05	
1949	Quimby	Grover C. Quimby	Woodsville	100.00	3.52	3.52	
		Cora L. Gunn					
1950	Allie	Fred Allie	Woodsville	200.00	7.05	7.05	
1950	Libby	Ida M. Libby	Woodsville	500.00	19.81	15.00	66.20
1950	Conant	Myrtie Conant	Woodsville	300.00	2.80	10.00	3.48
1950	Blandin	Katherine M. Blandin	Woodsville	500.00	21.67	15.00	15.07
1951	Oakes	E. I. Oakes Estate	Woodsville	200.00	7.54	6.00	8.85
1951	Clark	G. T. Clark	Woodsville	200.00	2.71	7.15	1.86
1952	Wheeler	Amos G. Wheeler	Woodsville	200.00	3.84	7.17	3.01
1952	Day-Burbank	Day-Burbank	Woodsville	200.00	7.05	7.05	
1952	Nihan	Carroll Nihan	Woodsville	200.00	11.23	7.44	12.67
1952	Hibbard	Annie M. Hibbard	Woodsville	200.00	1.78	7.05	
1952	Bedell	Annie M. Hibbard	Woodsville	200.00	1.78	7.05	
1952	Deming	Annie M. Hibbard	Woodsville	200.00	8.36	7.35	.71
1954	Child	Dwight P. Child	Woodsville	300.00	17.56	11.20	18.76
1955	Foster	Mrs. Chas. Fields	Woodsville	150.00	5.29	5.29	
1955	Foster	Mrs. Chas. Fields	Woodsville	150.00	5.29	5.29	
1955	Fields	Mrs. Chas. Fields	Woodsville	250.00	8.83	8.83	
1956	Morse	Mrs. Eva Bailey	Woodsville	300.00	23.23	11.39	27.62
1958	Brill	Frank Brill	Woodsville	100.00	3.52	3.52	
1958	Child	Edith M. Child	Woodsville	300.00	3.68	10.69	6.37
1958	Woods	Minot Woods	Woodsville	200.00	7.05	7.05	
1959	Poor	Hugh & Geo. Poor	Woodsville	500.00	17.64	17.64	
1960	Blake	Elbridge Blake	Woodsville	200.00	2.06	7.13	1.19
1960	Atwood	Edward C. Atwood	Woodsville	300.00	2.58	10.66	5.24
				\$27,407.44	\$ 419.10	\$ 975.74	\$ 389.21
					\$ 1,005.63	\$	

Preventing Forest Fires Is Our Responsibility

Costs of suppressing carelessly set outdoor fires in New Hampshire in 1962 cost the persons responsible \$5,545. In the same period, the cost to the cities and towns for control of such fires for which no responsibility could be placed cost another \$24,634. What utter waste of tax money and what shameful and needless loss of timber and esthetic values in the 2,200 acres burned. Residences, farms, and other business places were threatened with possible total destruction.

Carelessly set man caused fires can be prevented if every citizen remembers his responsibility in regard to any source of fires in the open. We can help to keep our fire loss low by remembering these simple rules.

1. Dispose of burnable waste at the town dump.
2. If waste or brush is to be burned on the premises, obtain a permit from the forest fire warden. Seasonal permits may be issued for approved incinerators and sites.
3. Burn safely by picking a clean site, avoiding dry windy weather and preferably burning late in the day.
4. Have something to keep the fire under control—pails of water, garden hose, sprinkling can, broom for grass fires or shovel will help.
5. Be sure your fire is dead out before you leave it.
6. If the fire gets out of control or if you see a fire out of control, report promptly to your warden or fire department. Continue to fight it until help arrives.

There is potential danger when matches fall into the hands of children. It is never too early for parents to install in the child's mind a respect for fire.

Keep our town safe from fire.

In 1962 we had 0 fires; we burned 0 acres. Permits issued, 92.

ROSCOE G. OLNEY
Forest Fire Warden

GERALD S. GROSS
District Fire Chief

Annual Report

of the

SCHOOL BOARD

of

BATH SCHOOL DISTRICT

for the

Fiscal Year

July 1, 1961 — June 30, 1962

ORGANIZATION OF BATH SCHOOL DISTRICT

School Board

Vale D. Badger, Chairman
George P. Roy
Raymond S. Burton

Moderator

Elie O. Roy

Truant Officer

Linwood Tewksbury

Clerk

Mrs. Phyllis Schoff

Health Officer

Mrs. Esther Whitney

Treasurer

Alden W. Minot

Auditor

George C. Minot

Superintendent of Schools

Phil A. Bennett

Teachers

Robert B. Savoy, Bath Village, Grades 6-8, Prin.
Mrs. Avis L. White, Bath Village, Grades 3-5
Mrs. Marjorie Odell, Bath Village, Grades 1-2

Music Supervisor

Mrs. Charlotte Wilson

School Nurse

Mrs. Muriel LaMott, R.N.

Janitor

Arthur Gilbert

Transporters

Stephen J. Burton	Herbert Chamberlain, Jr.
Edward W. Harris	Linwood Tewksbury

SCHOOL WARRANT

The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the town of Bath qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 13th day of March, 1963, at 8 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose agents, Auditors, and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state founda-

tion aid together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To see if the district will authorize a planning committee of six, three of whom will be school board members with the other three elected or appointed at this meeting, to study the educational problems of this district in conjunction with such surrounding districts as may be interested to determine the feasibility of forming a regional school district.
10. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred Fifteen Dollars (\$715.00) for the purpose of engaging the services of professional educational consultants and to defray the cost of reporting the finding of the above planning committee to the public and authorize the committee in conjunction with such surrounding districts as may be interested to engage such educational consultants.
11. To see if the district will vote to authorize the application of any unanticipated income to expenses.
12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Bath this 14th day of January, 1963.

VALE D. BADGER,

GEORGE P. ROY

RAYMOND S. BURTON

School Board of Bath

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

VALE D. BADGER,

GEORGE P. ROY

RAYMOND S. BURTON

School Board of Bath

(This is a temporary warrant. Articles may be added until February 13.)

COMPARATIVE BUDGET SCHOOL DISTRICT OF BATH

EXPENDITURES

	1961-62 Expenditures			1962-63 Budget			1963-64 Budget		
	Elementary School	High School	Total	Elementary School	High School	Total	Elementary School	High School	Total
Administration									
District Officers Salaries	\$ 265.00	\$	265.00	\$ 265.00	\$	265.00	\$ 315.00	\$	315.00
Contracted Services	27.00		27.00	27.00		27.00	27.00		27.00
District Officers Expenses	48.66		48.66	16.51		16.51	15.00		15.00
Total	340.66		340.66	308.51		308.51	357.00		357.00
Instruction									
Teachers Salaries	11,491.86		11,491.86	12,100.00		12,100.00	12,600.00		12,600.00
Textbooks	182.64		182.64	200.00		200.00	300.00		300.00
Libraries & Audiovisual Mat'l							100.00		100.00
Teaching Supplies	849.45		849.45	716.02		716.02	798.70		798.70
Other Expenses	52.99		52.99	75.00		75.00	75.00		75.00
Total	12,576.94		12,576.94	13,091.02		13,091.02	13,873.70		13,873.70
Attendance Services									
Salaries				10.00		10.00	10.00		10.00
Total				10.00		10.00	10.00		10.00
Health Services									
Expenses	14.04		14.04	10.00		10.00	10.00		10.00
Total	14.04		14.04	10.00		10.00	10.00		10.00
Pupil Transportation									
Contracted Services	4,783.90	2,992.50	7,776.40	5,000.00	3,000.00	8,000.00	5,000.00	3,000.00	8,000.00
Total	4,783.90	2,992.50	7,776.40	5,000.00	3,000.00	8,000.00	5,000.00	3,000.00	8,000.00
Operation of Plant									
Salaries	500.00		500.00	500.00		500.00	500.00		500.00
Supplies	281.99		281.99	275.00		275.00	75.00		75.00
Heat	576.77		576.77	500.00		500.00	500.00		500.00

Utilities, except Heat	78.20	80.00	250.00	250.00
Total	1,436.96	1,355.00	1,325.00	1,325.00
Maintenance				
Replacement of Equipment			225.00	225.00
Repairs to Equipment			100.00	100.00
Repairs to Buildings		750.00	700.00	700.00
Total	1,221.07	750.00	1,025.00	1,025.00
Fixed Charges				
Teachers' Ret. System	532.76	612.32	627.44	627.44
Federal Ins. Contrib Act (FICA)	266.39	266.40	272.80	272.80
Insurance	207.46	199.46	308.55	308.55
Total	1,006.61	1,078.18	1,208.79	1,208.79
School Lunch & Spec. Milk Program				
Federal Monies	411.24			
District Monies	787.50	825.00	825.00	825.00
Total	1,198.74	825.00	825.00	825.00
Student-Body Activities				
Expenditures & Transfers of Monies	160.30	45.59	50.00	50.00
Total	160.30	45.59	50.00	50.00
Capital Outlay				
Buildings		2,600.00		
Total		2,600.00		
Expenditures to Other Sch. Dist's., Pub. Acads., Admin. Units in the State				
Tuition	4,619.04	15,725.00	6,350.00	17,705.00
Dist. Share of Supv. Un. Exp.	1,675.30	1,790.67	1,729.39	1,729.39
Tax for State-Wide Supv.	206.00	228.00	192.00	272.00
Expenditures to Sch. Dist's., Adm. Units in Another State				
Tuition	265.00	279.00	295.00	295.00
Total Outgoing Transfer Ac'ts.	6,765.34	7,447.67	8,566.39	17,785.00
GROSS EXPENDITURES	\$29,504.56	\$32,520.37	\$32,250.88	\$53,035.88
	\$18,540.48	\$18,809.00	\$20,785.00	

RECEIPTS

	Total 1961-62	Total 1962-63	Total 1963-64
Revenue from Local Sources			
Current Appropriation	\$31,171.18	\$34,681.95	\$39,284.22
Earnings from Permanent Funds and Endowments	48.69	40.00	40.00
Total	\$31,219.87	\$34,721.95	\$39,324.22
Revenue from State Sources			
Foundation Aid	17,348.26	16,000.00	13,612.96
Total	\$17,348.26	\$16,000.00	\$13,612.96
Revenue from Federal Sources			
Title III	51.29	108.02	98.70
School Lunch and Special Milk Program	411.24		
Total	\$ 462.53	\$ 108.02	\$ 98.70
GROSS RECEIPTS	<u>\$49,030.66</u>	<u>\$50,829.97</u>	<u>\$53,035.88</u>

FINANCIAL REPORT

Financial Report of the Bath School District for the
Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1961, and
Ending June 30, 1962.

RECEIPTS

Federal Aid

National School Lunch and Special Milk	\$ 411.24	
National Defense Education Act	51.29	
Total		\$ 462.53

State Aid

Foundation Aid	17,348.26	
Total		17,348.26

Local Taxation

Current Appropriation	29,000.00	
Special Appropriations	2,171.18	
Total		31,171.18

Other Sources

Trust Funds	48.69	
Total		48.69

<i>Total Net Receipts From All Sources</i>	\$49,030.66
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Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1961—General Fund	512.47
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Total	512.47
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<i>Grand Total Net Receipts</i>	\$49,543.13
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Explanation of Difference Between Net (Actual) Expenditures and Gross Transactions

A. RECEIPTS

Total Net Income Plus Cash on Hand July 1, 1961	\$49,543.13
Receipts from Refunds, Double Payments, "In and Out" Transactions Between Districts, Transfers to or from Building or Other Accounts, etc.	4.95
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TOTAL GROSS INCOME	\$49,548.08

B. PAYMENTS

Total Net Payments Plus Cash on Hand June 30, 1962	\$49,543.13
Payments Refunded or Returned, Payments Made on Centralized Purchasing for Other Districts, Transfers to or from Building or Other Accounts, etc.	4.95
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TOTAL GROSS PAYMENTS	\$49,548.08

PAYMENTS

	Total Amount	Support of High School	Support of Elem. School
Administration:			
Salaries of District Officers	\$ 280.00	\$	\$ 280.00
Superintendent's Salary (Local Share)	349.53*		349.53
Tax for State Wide Supervision	300.00	94.00	206.00
Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	175.51		175.51
Supplies and Expenses	293.57		293.57
Instruction:			
Teachers' Salaries	12,106.54		12,106.54
Books and Other Instructional Aids	182.64		182.64
Scholars' Supplies	849.45		849.45
Supplies & Other Expenses	52.99		52.99
Operation of School Plant:			
Salaries of Custodians	500.00		500.00
Fuel or Heat	576.77		576.77
Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses	281.99		281.99
Maintenance of School Plant:			
Repairs and Replacements	1,221.07		1,221.07
Auxiliary Activities:			
Health Supervision	285.52		285.52
Transportation	7,776.40	2,992.50	4,783.90
Tuition	20,338.02	15,453.98	4,884.04
Special Activities and Special Funds	201.99		201.99
School Lunch (Federal and District Funds only)	1,161.24		1,161.24
Fixed Charges:			
Retirement	889.35		889.35
Insurance, Treas. Bonds and Expenses	222.46		222.46
TOTAL NET CURRENT EXPENSES	\$48,045.04	\$18,540.48	\$29,504.56
TOTAL NET PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES	\$48,045.04	\$18,540.48	\$29,504.56
CASH ON HAND AT END OF YEAR, JUNE 30, 1962			
General Fund	1,498.09		
GRAND TOTAL NET PAYMENTS	\$49,543.13		

*SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

Total \$5,665.00 (Local Share); \$3,500.00 (State's Share)

Bath	\$ 349.53	Piermont	\$ 465.66
Haverhill	1,402.65	Warren	343.30
Monroe	1,508.02	Woodsville	1,595.84

Balance Sheet, June 30, 1962

Assets

Cash on Hand June 30, 1962	\$1,498.09
Accounts Due to District From Town	1,943.92
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TOTAL ASSETS	\$3,442.01
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GRAND TOTAL	\$3,442.01

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by District:	
Teachers' Salaries	\$1,933.32
O.A.S.I.	56.84
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TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$1,990.16
Surplus (Excess of Assets over Liabilities)	1,451.85
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GRAND TOTAL	\$3,442.01

Report on Tuition Receipts and Payments

<i>Tuition Payments</i>	<i>H.S.</i>	<i>Elem.</i>
N.H. School Districts	\$15,453.98	\$4,619.04
Out of State		265.00
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TOTAL PAYMENTS	\$15,453.98	\$4,884.04

Special Accounts

Activity A—School Lunch Program—Receipts and Payments

Receipts

District General Fund	\$ 787.50
Other Receipts	1,871.73
Reimbursements	411.24
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Total Receipts	\$3,070.47
Cash on Hand July 1, 1961	272.75
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GRAND TOTAL	\$3,343.22

Payments

Elementary	\$3,071.46
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Total Payments	\$3,071.46
Cash on Hand June 30, 1962	271.76
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GRAND TOTAL	\$3,343.22

Activity A—School Lunch Program Balance Sheet, June 30, 1962

Assets

Cash on Hand June 30, 1962	\$271.76
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Total Assets	\$271.76
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GRAND TOTAL	\$271.76

Liabilities

Excess of Assets Over Liabilities	\$271.76
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GRAND TOTAL	\$271.76

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

for the
Fiscal Year July 1, 1961 to June 30, 1962
School District of Bath

Summary

Cash on Hand July 1, 1961	\$512.47
Received from Selectmen:	
Current Appropriation	\$29,000.00
Bal. of Previous Appro.	2,171.18
Received from State Treasurer:	
State Funds	17,348.26
Federal Funds	462.53
Received as Income from	
Trust Funds	48.69
Received from all	
Other Sources	4.95
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Total Receipts	\$49,035.61
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<i>Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year</i>	\$49,548.08
<i>Less School Board Orders Paid</i>	48,049.99
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<i>Balance on Hand June 30, 1962</i>	\$ 1,498.09

ALDEN W. MINOT
District Treasurer

July 9, 1962

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Bath of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1962 and find them correct in all respects.

GEORGE C. MINOT
Auditor

July 14, 1962

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of the Bath School District :

I submit, herewith, my sixteenth annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

1961 - 1962

Different pupils registered during year	73
Average membership	70.5
Percent of attendance	96.2
Number of pupils neither absent nor tardy	14
Number of children age 6-14 not attending any school	1
Pupils whose tuition was paid by district :	
Elementary	23
Secondary	40
Pupils transported at district expense :	
Elementary	36
Secondary	37

Roll of Honor for Perfect Attendance for Full Year

Ide, Edward, Gr. 1	Ide, Shirley, Gr. 7
Burbank, Stephen, Gr. 3	Millette, Rea. Gr. 7
Dean, Robert, Gr. 4	Woods, Raymond, Gr. 7
Ide, Steven, Gr. 4	Foster, Nancy, Gr. 8
Burt, Randall, Gr. 5	Lang, Carleton, Gr. 8
George, Connie, Gr. 6	Parker, Alice, Gr. 8
Weeks, Pamela, Gr. 6	Peters, Nancy, Gr. 8

Promoted from Grade 8 to High School, June 1962

Foster, Nancy	Poor, Richard
Lang, Carleton	Roy, Lorraine
Parker, Alice	Young, Florence
Peters, Nancy	

Enrollment by Grades

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Bath Village	9	13	6	12	5	9	11	8	73

1962 - 1963

The personnel of the school; principal, teachers, lunch supervisor, custodian, and transporters; remains the same as of last year. Each is doing his or her assignment efficiently.

A major repair in the building was the installation of a new, oil-burning, hot air heating system. This unit was installed by Scruggs Hardware Company of Woodsville. The benefit derived from this system is, not only that of physical comfort, but also that of a health factor improvement, realized by the even temperature control, now possible.

One major replacement item is strongly recommended: the renovating of the toilet facilities for the boys. This unit has been unsatisfactory from the point of health standards for several years, not only by the staff but by the State Health Inspector.

The 1963-1964 budget shows an estimated increase of \$1,600.00, reflected primarily by increased tuition costs. The local assessment, however, is estimated to increase from \$31,873.54 to approximately \$39,560.00, due to a drop in state aid from the current \$17,856.56 to an estimated \$13,612.96. Also, to an estimated zero

balance on June 30, 1963, as compared with a balance of \$3,442.01 on June 30, 1962.

Education is designed to improve the intellectual quality of human behavior.

The world is nothing more than what it means to the individual at any given time. What he does in response to events is a measure of his intellectual acknowledgment of these factors. In other words, for the individual, thinking about something makes it so. Without the act of thinking, the individual experiences nothing, and for him, nothing exists. When he is faced with a problem, the intelligently behaving individual applies mind to its solution. If he does not, his response is to a high degree non-intellectual, or irrational, or insignificant. The problem remains, the answer is unavailable, and the effect of this is harmful to the individual and generally to others with whom he associates.

Consider two illustrations:

1. The tenth grade boy, influenced by a desire for status with his crowd, left school to earn money. His first job was working as a laborer on a construction crew. With his first earnings he bought a pair of \$30 shoes, a status symbol of great importance to his group. Soon, however, tired of the work he was doing, he became irregular in attendance on the job, and finally was dismissed. When the foreman fired him, the boy's anger flared up, and he assaulted his boss, injuring him painfully.
2. While on playground duty one noon, a teacher was forced to break up a fight between a girl and boy, both in the fourth grade. As she kept the straining, hard-breathing children apart by

grasping a wrist in each hand, the teacher asked, "Why are you so angry at each other?" The boy answered, "She said my mother drinks. She doesn't drink any more." The girl said in tearful anger, "He said my mother drinks. She doesn't either any more. She spends her money for new clothes for me now."

Behavior is usually not either altogether intellectual—that is, built on thought processes—or entirely below the level of consciousness, prompted and guided exclusively by feeling. Thought and feeling are only rough designations of the origins of human behavior, there being something of both in varying proportions whenever the individual acts. The object of education is not to rule out feeling as the source of purpose but to increase the influence and quality of mind as a guide to action.

Appreciation is again expressed for the integrity of the staff members, for the support of the School Board and citizens of Bath.

The report of Mrs. LaMott, R.N. follows.

Respectfully submitted,
PHIL A. BENNETT

Bath, N.H.

January 14, 1963 Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

1961 - 1962

Number of pupils examined: 72

Schools Visits 10 Home Visits 14

<i>Symptoms of Defects</i>	<i>Corrections</i>
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Vision	6	10
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Teeth	57	31
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Number successfully vaccinated: 8

Clinics:

Mental Hygiene Clinic	1 pupil attended
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Chest Clinic (X-Ray)	1 pupil attended
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Polio Clinic	2 pupils attended
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Heaf Tbc. tests done in school: 26

Due to illness, I was given a leave of absence starting January 19, 1962. Mrs. Eve Maccini, R.N., substituted for me.

I want to thank everyone for their cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

MURIEL LaMOTT, R.N.

School Nurse

Births Registered in the Town of Bath, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1962

Date and Place of Birth	Name of Child	No. of Child		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Sex						
January								
17 Haverhill, N. H.	Darlene May Caswell	F	2	Alberton Caswell	Charlotte Tewksbury	Bath, N. H.	Bath, N. H.	Woodsville, N. H.
21 Kittery, Me.	Shawn Steven Gilbert	M	2	Carlyle S. Gilbert	Carmella M. Amorosa	Bath, N. H.	N. H.	New York
March								
17 Littleton, N. H.	Colleen Livingston	F	4	Lawrence Livingston	Betty A. Chase	Bath, N. H.	Lisbon, N. H.	Lisbon, N. H.
October								
29 Haverhill, N. H.	Virgil Mark Aldrich	M	4	Norman E. Aldrich	Rosalie Emerson	Bath, N. H.	Lyman, N. H.	Corinth, Vt.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 PHYLLIS B. SCHOFF, Town Clerk

Marriages Registered in the Town of Bath, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1962

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each	Age	Occupation	Name of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married
January						
29 Woodsville, N.H.	Peter Oliver Thompson	Haverhill, N.H.	22	Laborer	Donald Thompson	Sven A. Laurin Minister
	Nancy Jane Bringhurst	Bath, N.H.	18	Unemployed	Thelma Oliver Not Given Betty Bringhurst	Haverhill, N.H.
July						
29 Woodsville, N.H.	Carl Wells Chamberlin	Bath, N.H.	68	Clerk	Waterman W. Chamberlin	W. Ralph Bruce Minister
	Florence S. Lang	Haverhill, N.H.	70	Retired	Kate A. Carbee Albert Lang Cora Buck	Haverhill, N.H.
August						
5 Bath, N.H.	Kenneth Arnold Grimes	Woodsville, N.H.	22	Teacher	Gerald W. Grimes	Elmer N. Granstrom Clergyman
	Mary Ella Burton	Bath, N.H.	20	Housewife	Mildred V. Jones Stephen J. Burton Natalie L. Hill	Newbury, Vt.
September						
1 Haverhill, N.H.	Kenneth Wyman	Haverhill, N.H.	18	Paper Mill	Basil K. Wyman	Reginald B. Nichols Minister
	June Elizabeth Poor	Bath, N.H.	18	Clerk	Caroline Fillian Edward C. Poor Ruby M. Tewksbury	Haverhill, N.H.
December						
13 Woodsville, N.H.	Earle Everett Cole	Bath, N.H.	22	Mill Work	Everett E. Cole	W. Ralph Bruce Minister
	Peggy Ann Laundre	Bath, N.H.	19	Housework	Irene N. Tewksbury Ernest Laundre Lottie Griffin	Woodsville, N.H.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
PHYLLIS B. SCHOFF, Town Clerk

Deaths Registered in the Town of Bath, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1962

Date and Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Sex	Sim., Mar., Wid.	Occupation	Name of Father	Name of Mother
January								
15 Haverhill, N.H.	Ernest Gobeille	76	Chicopee, Mass.	M	W	Merchant Tailor	Peter Gobeille	Domithille Baillargeau
17 Hanover, N.H.	Mona Chamberlin	66	Haverhill, N.H.	F	M	Housewife	Robert Park	Lena Willis
25 Methuen, Mass.	Frank Joseph Beaulieu	73	Not given	M		Not given	Not given	Not given
February								
19 Bath, N.H.	Arthur Elwood Bailey	81	Bath, N.H.	M	W	Retired	Austin J. Bailey	Martha Walker
March								
27 No. Woodstock, N.H.	Hattie J. Heath	75	Lisbon, N.H.	F	M	Housewife	Henry Aldrich	Lidia Carey
May								
9 Haverhill, N.H.	Mary Etta Laturneau	77	St. Marys, Ely, P.Q.	F	W	Housewife	Thomas Dalton	Elizabeth Cushman
20 Haverhill, N.H.	Winnie C. Tewksbury	74	Bath, N.H.	F	W	Housewife	Oren Chase	Rosie Davis
28 Bath, N.H.	Elwood Dennis Chase	81	Bath, N.H.	M	W	Farmer	Wilbur Chase	Alice Chase
June								
21 Haverhill, N.H.	James Kenneth Tyler	14	Haverhill, N.H.	M	S	Student	Kenneth Tyler	Katherine Laturneau
24 Berwick, Me.	Dorothy H. Howard	64	Not given	F		Not given	Not given	Not given
July								
1 Hartford, Vt.	Louis C. Steady	66	Berlin, N.H.	M	M	R.R. Yardman	George J. Steady	Sadie Clark
7 Hanover, N.H.	Robert S. Callender, Sr.	68	Northfield, Mass.	M	M	Farming	Benjamin Callender	Eva Stebbins
August								
19 Hampstead, N.H.	Flossie W. Burnham	74	Not given	F		Not given	Not given	Not given
September								
7 Whitefield, N.H.	Josephine A. Proulx	77	Not given	F		Not given	Not given	Not given
October								
7 Haverhill, N.H.	Alfred E. Houston	86	New Ipswich, N.H.	M	W	Farmer	Roswell Houston	Luella Baxter

11 Haverhill, N.H.	Mary Clough	35 Providence, R.I.	F W Saleslady	John McGrath	Mary Meher
30 Haverhill, N.H.	Mary P. Greenwood	82 St. Reme, P.Q.	F M Housewife	Olivier Provost	Mary Simard
December 6 Hartford, Vt.	Leon E. Laundre	69 Landaff, N.H.	M M Farming	Joseph Laundre	Victoria Labounty

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

PHYLLIS B. SCHOFF, Town Clerk

Program of the White Mountains Region Association

The White Mountains Region Association is working to find new job opportunities for the region.

The Region Association is working to develop new recreation projects.

The Region Association is promoting its existing vacation-travel business.

The Region Association is working to encourage agriculture.

The Region Association is working with state and federal agencies for further economic advancement.

The Region Association is effecting an economic revival.

Support it with town appropriations and believe what it can do for all of the 47 communities in northern New Hampshire.

JOHN P. WILSON

Executive Secretary

White Mountains Region Ass'n

